

## **EXPLANATION OF NOTICE OF HEARING ON REGISTERED ORDER (MODEL)**

**PURPOSE OF THE FORM:** If the nonregistering party requests a hearing to contest the validity or enforcement of a registered order, UIFSA §606 requires the registering tribunal to schedule the matter for hearing and give notice of the hearing to the parties (registering and non-registering); Implicitly the initiating tribunal should be sent a copy as well. This form is designed to be computer-generated.

### **HEADING/CAPTION:**

- The header information includes name of obligee, name of obligor, case number assigned by the registering tribunal, date the form is generated, and date of registration. It also allows specification of name and address of the nonregistering party to whom the notice will be sent.

### **MAIN BODY OF THE FORM:**

- Item 1 can be designed/restructured to specify when and where the hearing will occur. It can be tailored further to accommodate telephonic hearings, and include information about submittal of evidence the non-registering party would like the tribunal to consider.
- Item 6 allows State-specific expansion/inclusion of other information to the parties.
- Other items are derived from UIFSA §§606-607.
- States may decide whether to include or not include certain provisions. Some of the items may be items to incorporate in the Notice of Registration. States may wish to consider adding space for telephone information for possible telephonic hearing.